

RAIDED STILL WITH PISTOLS

Col. Thompson Led Attack on a Big "Moonshine" Establishment.

CAUGHT A MAN AT WORK

Located in West Twelfth Street and Had a Capacity of 500 Gallons a Day.

With drawn pistols, revenue agents under Col. F. G. Thompson last night raided one of the largest moonshine stills ever found in New York. The agents captured two moonshiners, but have not yet caught the owner of the extensive plant.

Col. Thompson led in the attack on the still, which occupied the whole of a large barn in the rear of No. 26 West Twelfth street. The structure was erected by going through a vacant building facing the street at that number and climbing out through a rear window.

Colonel Thompson and Deputy Collectors Follows, Moore, Taylor, Hubbard and Major surrounded the building. Three of them then put shoulders to the door and burst it in.

Listening inside with weapons ready for a hot fight if it came, the revenue agents met with no resistance.

A man who was stripped to the waist and shivering with cold, was found in the room. The man was twenty-two years old, the latter nineteen years.

Examination of the still shows it capable of producing 500 gallons of spirits every day. The men have been selling at least 300 gallons daily. That quantity of liquor was taken away from the place yesterday.

Herskovitz is a Roumanian and the other man a Russian. The revenue agents have not yet been able to get from either of them a statement implicating other more potential members of the gang.

WOMEN IN A DEADLY COAL-PICKING DUEL

BOTH DANGEROUSLY WOUNDED BY HEAVY MISSILES.

Heavily Over Fuel Preserves Leads One to Hurt Stone, the Other Iron.

As the result of a fierce duel on Railroad avenue, Jersey City, Caroline Musheski, thirty-eight years old, of No. 188 Steuben street, and Sarah Kennedy, thirty years old, of No. 145 Princeton avenue, were in a serious condition in the City Hospital, Jersey City, this morning.

Mrs. Musheski was picking coal in the Pennsylvania Railroad yard at Railroad avenue when Mrs. Kennedy came along and charged Mrs. Musheski with trespassing on her preserves.

Mrs. Kennedy hurled a large rock at her rival. At the same time Mrs. Musheski struck her opponent with a piece of iron.

The rock struck Mrs. Musheski in the forehead and broke her head. She was taken in charge by Patrolman Byrne and sent to the City Hospital.

The iron hurled by Mrs. Musheski inflicted a severe gash in Mrs. Kennedy's head.

MAIL BAGS WERE IN THE FLAMES.

WAGON CATCHES FIRE ON THE WAY TO THE TRAIN.

Broke a Gas Main, and a Brakeman with a Lantern Did the Rest.

The driver of the mail wagon to connect with the 9:44 Atlantic Coast Express last night ran over in his hurry a pipe of the Dutch gas main that supplies the Pennsylvania Railroad cars.

A brakeman jumped forward with a lighted lantern to investigate, and he, with the driver and clerk of the wagon, was thrown twenty feet away in the ensuing explosion.

The Jersey City firemen quickly put out the blaze, but they so soaked the 120 bags of mail that they had to be taken back to the New York Post-Office for repairs.

THE CHRISTMAS SUNDAY WORLD
OUT NEXT SUNDAY
A 16-PAGE BOOK
IN 4 COLORS
FOR CHILDREN,
"The Roly Polys"
Christmas.

The Big Store Has a Brand New Christmas Attraction.

A Brilliant Jewelry Store.
Practical, Sensible, and Replete with Fine Holiday Suggestions for Everybody.

In happiest mood is the Jewelry Store. Business is tip top; everybody is delighted.

Spending as little as you like—as much as you want. Prices range from 25c. upward to \$500 and more.

Everything new, novel and artistic in Precious Stones, Watches, Chains, Clocks, Mantel Sets, Sterling Silver Ornaments, Table Cutlery, Gold Jewelry, Sterling Silver Table Ware, Sterling Silver Toilet Sets and hundreds of other things. Every gleaming bit of gold, every shining article in silver, every flashing gem, is pleasantly suggestive of Christmas.

Won't you be among the early shoppers to-morrow? You know how very advantageous it is to come before the hurly-burly of the day's business sets in.

SOLID GOLD JEWELRY.
SOLID GOLD BROOCHES, all this season's choicest designs; over 50 styles; handsome knots, crescents, and floral effects, plain or stone set; values up to \$5.00; special, 2.50

LORGNETTE CHAINS. solid gold, 48 inches long, all soldered links, diamond set slide; worth \$5.75; special, 3.75

SOLID GOLD CUFF BUTTON. new designs, in Roman gold, set with 10 diamonds, worth \$1.50; special, .75

LADIES' SOLID GOLD RING. real Opals, Pearl, Turquoise, Ruby, Sapphire and Emerald doublets, in plain and fancy combination settings; worth \$4.00; special, 2.00

CHILDREN'S SOLID GOLD RING. set with genuine diamond chips; worth \$1.50; special, .75

DIAMOND CUFF LINKS. extra heavy gold mounting, in Roman or polished, handsome new design set with beautiful cut stones; value \$10.00; per pair, special, 5.00

HANDSOME WATCHES. BOYS' SOLID SILVER OPEN FACE WATCH, fancy engraved or engine-turned cases; has second hand and fine Swiss movement; worth \$5.50; special, 3.75

BOYS' OPEN FACE NICKEL WATCH. thin model, has second hand and fitted with good New England movement; special, 1.75

DIAMOND PRINCESS RING. Turquoise, Ruby, Sapphire and Emerald doublets surrounded with fine rose diamonds; worth \$18.50; special, 10.00

HANDSOME WATCHES. LADIES' SOLID GOLD 14 KARAT HUNTING CASE WATCH, beautifully engraved or engine-turned and fitted with a fine Waltham or Elgin movement; worth \$25.00; special, 16.50

LADIES' SOLID SILVER CHATELAIN WATCH AND PIN. handsomely engraved, and a variety of pins to select from; complete in leatherette case; worth \$4.50; special, 2.25

LADIES' SOLID GOLD CHATELAIN WATCH. plain polished case, fitted with a very fine Geneva movement; value \$15.00; special, 8.50

MEN'S 16-SIZE HUNTING CASE WATCH. engraved or engine-turned, guaranteed for 10 years, complete in velvet case; special, 5.25

MEN'S OPEN FACE WATCH. thin model, plain polished case, guaranteed for 10 years, fitted with a very fine Swiss movement; worth \$14.50; special, 8.50

CLOCK. CUCKOO CLOCK, fine brass movement with handsomely carved case, warranted; value \$6.50; special, 3.95

RICH GOLD CLOCK SET. one of a series of twenty styles or more, candlesticks to match; value \$8.00; complete set, 5.00

SOFA PILLOWS. silk floral top, covered with handsome silk floral top, value \$2.50; at each, 1.65

SATIN LAMBREQUINS. magnificently hand-woven, beautifully fringed, regularly \$12.50; special price, 9.75

200 FINE SOFA PILLOWS. filled with down and covered with fine satin damask, velours or richly embroidered, some with silk fringe, others with silk and lace ruffles; at these special prices: \$2.85, \$3.00, \$4.15 and 8.75

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A Special Holiday Fair Opened Along the Nineteenth Street Side on the Main Floor.



A SCENE IN THE FAIR! ends our Nineteenth Street Side Fair will be a centre of unceasing interest.

Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs.

For Men, Women and Children.

We have five departments in the Store in which we are selling Handkerchiefs, but the items described below are very special to-morrow in the 19th Street Side Fair.

Little prices—but big values.

MEN'S JAPANESE HEMSTITCHED SILK HANDKERCHIEFS. large size, all white and colored borders, 50c values; special each at 25

WOMEN'S HANDSOMELY EMBROIDERED SCALLOPED BORDER WHITE AND COLORED HANDKERCHIEFS. a variety of pretty patterns, 25c values; special each at 12½

MEN'S AND WOMEN'S EXTRA FINE LINEN HAND HEMSTITCHED HANDKERCHIEFS. 14, 14 and 1 inch hem, 25c values; special each at 12½

CHILDREN'S BOXED HANDKERCHIEFS. 3 in box, 15c, 19c and 25

Silk Lambrequins
And Fine Fancy Sofa Pillows.

You'll find all of these in the new Fair. Any woman who likes such pretty and useful things will be interested without loss of time.

You'll admire the new designs. And the prices? Well, they could not be lower. The qualities would cry out against it.

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THE BIG STORE'S Candy Problem.

Suppose we have 5 different kinds of Candy. One kind cost 60c. a pound, another 40c., another 30c., another 20c. and another 10c. Now, how much of each kind is the proper proportion to use for a lot of 12,500 pounds to make the average cost 25c. a pound, using the largest possible quantity of the finer grades and as little as possible of the cheaper grades?

WE WILL AWARD A PRIZE OF 25 POUNDS OF THIS 25c. MIXED CANDY TO EACH OF THE 500 SUNDAY SCHOOLS THAT SENDS IN THE FIRST CORRECT SOLUTIONS.

All the Sunday Schools in Greater New York, Jersey City, Hoboken and Newark are eligible for competition irrespectively. Each victorious Sunday School, however, will be awarded but one prize.

As many members as belong to the Sunday Schools in the localities named may compete, but each solution sent in must bear the indorsement of the Superintendent of the Sunday School in which the contestant is a scholar. Undorsed solutions will not be considered.

The method of solving the problem must be explicitly stated. In other words, the example must be worked out in detail, and be wholly free from doubt.

Contest Closes Tuesday, Dec. 17. The correct solution of the Candy Problem will be published Friday, Dec. 20.

Address all solutions to the CANDY DEPARTMENT, Siegel-Cooper Company, New York.

Stylish Christmas Furniture!
All Sorts of Good Holiday Attractions.

You turn into the Furniture Store on the Third Floor with an expression of delight, for this Department shares richly in the brilliance of the season.

Here are a bright lot of suggestions.

COMBINATION BOOKCASES AND WRITING DESKS.

Bookcases and Writing Desks combined, golden oak, polished finish, large deep drawers, cast brass trimmings, adjustable shelves, handsomely carved, large size French bell plate mirror, special at the following prices:

Regular price, \$8.50; special at 5.75
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Regular price, \$15.00; special at 10.75
Regular price, \$16.50; special at 14.50
Regular price, \$21.00; special at 16.50
Regular price, \$25.00; special at 19.50
Regular price, \$29.00; special at 23.00
Regular price, \$33.00; special at 25.00

PARLOR CHAIRS.
Odd Parlor Chairs; 6 different designs; mahogany finished frames; piano finished; best steel tempered springs; covered in fine quality satin damask, silk velours, figured tapestry and illuminated plush; special at the following prices:

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Regular price, \$21.00; special at 15.25
Regular price, \$23.50; special at 17.75

MORRIS CHAIRS AND MORRIS ROCKERS.

HANDSOME MORRIS CHAIRS AND MORRIS ROCKERS. golden oak, cane seat, twisted spindles; tack handsomely embossed; large table; well made and finished; value \$12.25; special, 1.45

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